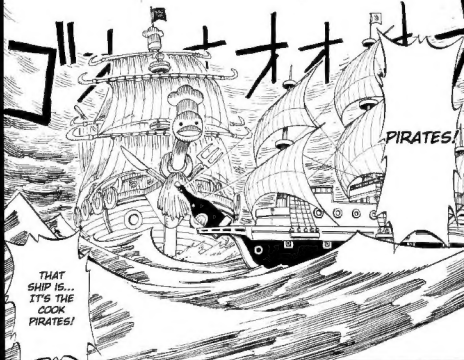


CHAPTER 57

"BECAUSE OF DREAMS"









I WAS... JUST A
LITTLE HUNGRY...

AGHHHH!
F-FORGIVE ME,
CAPT. ZEPPI!



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ON OUR
ENEMIES'
FOOD...?

YES,
SIR...!

DON'T I
ALWAYS SAY
NOT TO EVER
LAY EVEN A
FINGER,

AHHH!
WHAT'S
WITH THIS
KID!

DAMN
IDIOT!

SHUT UP!
LIKE I'M
JUST GOING
TO STAND
STILL AND
LET YOU
KILL ME!

LOOK, I'M
BLEEDING. I
MIGHT BE
SERIOUSLY
WOUNDED.

HEY KID,
YOU SHOULDN'T
BE SWINGING
AROUND THOSE
THINGS. IT'S
DANGEROUS.

IF THE KID
WANTS TO DIE
SO BADLY,

THEN KILL HIM
ALREADY AND BE
DONE WITH IT!

DO
SOMETHING
ABOUT HIM!
HE'S ONE OF
YOUR COOKS,
ISN'T HE?

SANJI!
STOP!

STOP IT, KID!
DON'T PROVOKE
THEM ANY
FURTHER!

SANJI, NO!
DON'T FIGHT
BACK!

SO I'LL KILL
YOU FIRST
BEFORE YOU
CAN KILL ME!

IT'S NOT
LIKE I WANT
TO DIE! BUT
YOU PIRATES
ARE GONNA
KILL US ALL
ANYWAYS!





DOESN'T
EXIST EVEN
IN GRAND
LINE!

GO AHEAD,
CAPTAIN!
TELL HIM!
TELL HIM
THAT A PLACE
LIKE THAT,

HE SAID HE'S
GONNA FIND
ALL BLUE!
THAT'S QUITE
THE DREAM!

HAHAHA
HAHA!



WHY WOULD
YOU GO AND
TALK ABOUT
THAT NOW OF
ALL TIMES...?!

YOU
IDIOT...



THAT
I'M GONNA
BE KILLED
BY STUPID
PIRATES
LIKE YOU
IN A PLACE
LIKE THIS!

THERE'S
NO WAY,









THAT
STUPID
BRAT...

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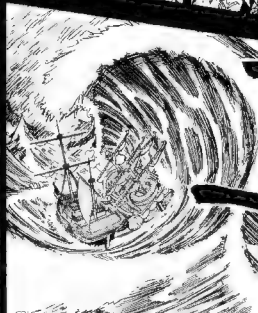
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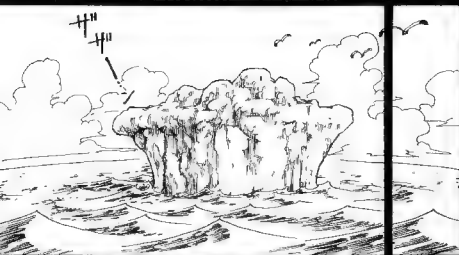
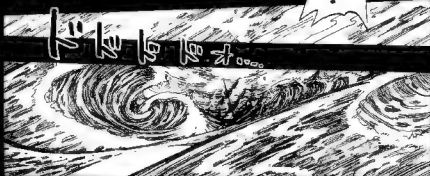
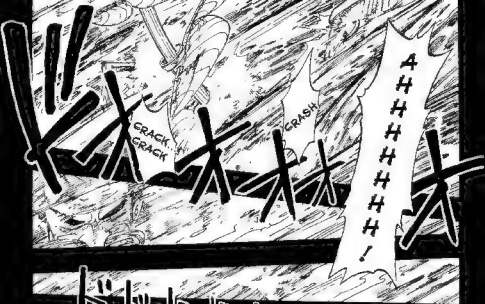
CAPTAIN!

W-WHAT'RE
YOU
DOING!?
IT'S JUST
A STUPID
LITTLE KID!

CAPTAIN!



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ARE
STUCK ON THIS
GOD-FORSAKEN
ROCK,

MEANING
THAT YOU
AND I,

IN ANY
CASE, THE
STORM WAS
2 DAYS AGO.

WITHOUT A
SINGLE PLANT,
FRUIT, OR
ANIMAL TO EAT.

OF COURSE,
THERE'S A LOT
OF FISH IN THE
OCEAN,

SO THAT
ONCE YOU JUMP
DOWN, IT'LL BE
IMPOSSIBLE TO
COME BACK UP,

BUT THE
SIDE OF THIS
ROCK'S BEEN
CARVED OUT
BY THE
WAVES,

IF YOU DON'T SHUT
UP, I'LL JUST EAT
YOU INSTEAD.

THIS IS ALL
YOUR FAULT!
I'LL KILL YOU
FOR THIS!

NO.

IN OTHER
WORDS, WE
DON'T HAVE ANY
WAY TO GET
FOOD. FEEL FREE
TO CRY IF YOU
WANT.

AND IF WE'RE NOT, WE'LL BE WAITING UNTIL WE'RE NOTHING BUT A DRIED UP PILE OF BONES.

IF WE'RE LUCKY, WE MIGHT BE SAVED TOMORROW

WAITING FOR HELP IS THE ONLY OPTION WE HAVE.



THIS IS YOUR SHARE.

ドサ...!!



FILE OF BONES?

HE...?



OF COURSE! I'M AN ADULT, SO IT'S ONLY NATURAL THAT I EAT MORE.

WAIT A MINUTE! YOUR SHARE IS WAY BIGGER THAN MINE! IT'S ALMOST 3 TIMES WHAT I'VE GOT!

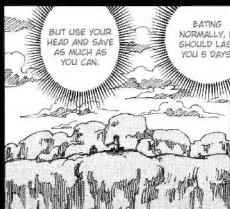


BUT USE YOUR HEAD AND SAVE AS MUCH AS YOU CAN.

EATING NORMALLY, IT SHOULD LAST YOU 5 DAYS,

THIS FOOD HERE GOT WASHED UP HERE JUST LIKE US.

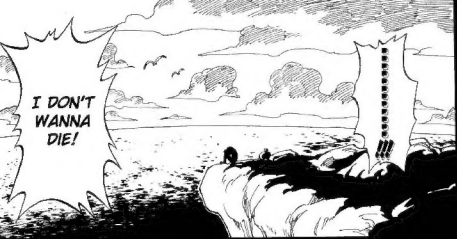
IT'S A GOOD THING THAT WE'RE BOTH COOKS.

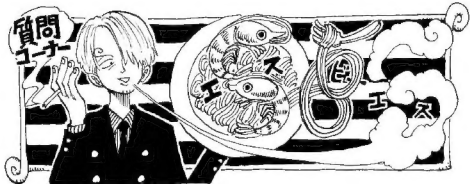


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- D: I HAVE A QUESTION. HOW QUICKLY CAN CAPTAIN KURO RUN 100 METERS?
- O: TO TELL YOU THE TRUTH, IT IS EXTREMELY HARD TO MEASURE HIS SPEED CORRECTLY, BUT I DON'T THINK IT WOULD TAKE MORE THAN 5 SECONDS. THINK OF IT AS 4 POINT SOMETHING. WHOA! THAT'S A WORLD RECORD.
- D: ARE PATTY AND CARNE'S NAMES FROM "SPAGHETTI" AND "CALZONE"? (CALZONE SPELLED IN JAPANESE IS KARUTSUONE, AND CARNE IS SPELLED CARLINE)
- O: HMMM! IT IS TRUE THAT THEIR NAMES ARE DERIVED FROM FOOD-RELATED WORDS, BUT THAT'S NOT RIGHT. PATTY IS TAKEN FROM THE NAME OF A TYPE OF DESSERT CHEF (PATISSIERE). AND CARNE IS TAKEN DIRECTLY FROM THE SPANISH WORD FOR MEAT.
- D: IF LUFFY GETS 7,200 FUNKY GOMU GOMUS, DOES THAT MEAN SANJI IS ABOUT 8,500 FUNKY ERO EROS?
- O: OH, NO, NOT AT ALL. HE CAN GET AT LEAST 930 MERCHEN ERO EROS.
- D: COULD YOU MAKE THE ONE PIECE TANKOBON A LITTLE CHEAPER? (LIKE 100 YEN...)
- O: RIGHT NOW... 1 BOOK IS 410 YEN. AND JUMP COSTS 220 YEN... WHEN I WAS IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, A TANKOBON WAS 360 YEN AND A JUMP COST 170 YEN. BUT THE PRICE OF EVERYTHING RISES. THERE'S NOTHING I CAN DO ABOUT IT. IT'S THE SAME FOR EVERYONE. AND 100 YEN IS JUST NEVER GONNA HAPPEN.
- D: SENSEI! WHEN YOU ARE DRAWING THE CHARACTERS OF ONE PIECE, AND LUFFY IS MAD, FOR EXAMPLE, DO YOU GET A MAD EXPRESSION ON YOUR FACE, OR LOOK REALLY STRAINED?? TELL ME!! I DO IT.
- O: OH, I SURE DO. I MAKE LOTS OF FACES WHEN I DRAW. WHEN I DREW THE DOUBLE PAGE SPREAD OF THE BREAK-UP OF THE USOPP PIRATE CREW, MY FACE GOT REALLY TIRED. I CRIED SO MUCH WHEN I DREW THAT, I THOUGHT MY FACE WAS GOING TO CRAMP UP.